

1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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MELLETT SOUTH DAKOTA

Land in farms

Decreased 7 percent from 701,352 acres in 1992 to 654,597 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 14 percent from 2,647 acres in 1992 to 3,017 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 23 percent from 226 farms in 1992 to 175 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Decreased 3 percent to \$17,739,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 20 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 80 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 18 percent from \$69,199 in 1992 to \$81,746 in 1997.

